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TO AMCONSUL LOURENCO MARQUES IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY LISBON

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, MZ

SUBJECT: GUMO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON MODERATE FRELIMO  
MEMBERS

REFERENCES: LOURENCO MARQUES 332

1. ALTHOUGH IDEA OF BEING HELPFUL TO DR. SIMIAO HAS ITS  
ATTRactions, DEPARTMENT HAS SERIOUS RESERVATIONS ABOUT  
CONVEYING INFORMATION SHE REQUESTED AS REPORTED REFTel.  
DURING THIS PERIOD OF TURBULENT UNCERTAINTY IN MOZAMBIQUE  
WHEN DEVELOPMENTS ARE IN AN INCHOATE STATE AND FUTURE  
PROSPECTS OF NEWLY-FORMED GROUPS ARE UNCERTAIN, WE BELIEVE  
IT IMPORTANT TO AVOID MAKING US VULNERABLE TO CHARGES OF  
INTERFERENCE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS. FURTHERMORE ALTHOUGH  
BIO INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE TO US ON MOST FRELIMO MEMBERS  
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IN LEADERSHIP POSITIONS, WE HAVE VERY LITTLE THAT INDICATES

THEIR MODERATION OR REASONABLENESS. ASSESSMENTS ALONG  
THOSE LINES WOULD BE GUESSES AND COULD EASILY MISLEAD  
DR. SIMIAO. FOR ABOVE REASONS WE DO NOT FEEL IT IN OUR  
INTEREST TO BE RESPONSIVE TO DR. SIMIAO'S REQUEST AT THIS  
TIME.

2. IT APPEARS TO US THAT SUCH INFORMATION WOULD BE READILY  
AVAILABLE FROM THOSE PERSONS MORE FAMILIAR WITH FRELIMO'S  
LEADERSHIP, IN PARTICULAR INDIVIDUALS SUCH AS MIGUEL  
MURUPA. THIS APPROACH MIGHT BE SUGGESTED TO DR. SIMIAO. RUSH

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